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LB 170

SENATOR SAVAGE: I think that they are within their rights when they are under the balcony, they are not bothering the people on the floor.

PRESIDENT: We are not going to have this turned into a studio.

SENATOR SAVAGE: The press has some privileges, they can't (mike turned off).

PRESIDENT: Please, on interviews of this kind, studio type operation, please go across the hall. We take up LB 170. Senator Duis, for what purpose do you arise?

SENATOR DUIS: I just wanted to say thank you.

PRESIDENT: LB 170, what do you have Mr. Clerk?

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Warner moves to reconsider our action on Final Passage of LB 170.

PRESIDENT: You heard the motion. Senator Warner, for what purpose do you arise? We agreed not to debate or explain.

SENATOR WARNER: Oh.....

PRESIDENT: So, why do you arise, Senator?

SENATOR WARNER: I wasn't aware that I made that agreement, but if I did, why I certainly would not want to not abide by it.

PRESIDENT: I think the agreement was unilateral, but it was explained that that was the basis for the amendment. So, the question then is shall the body reconsider its action on LB 170. Record your vote. Have you all voted? We are on Final Reading, all Senators are to be at their desks. All Senators are to be at their desks. Make the record. Senator Warner.

SENATOR WARNER: Mr. President, a point of information. First, I will ask for a roll call vote. This requires 30 votes to reconsider and then if it is to be passed it would need 25?

PRESIDENT: 25 that is correct.

SENATOR WARNER: That is two separate actions.

PRESIDENT: Absolutely, there will be...if this gets 30 votes there will be a subsequent question put which would only require 25. Call the roll.

CLERK: Roll call vote taken.

PRESIDENT: The Clerk and the Assistant Clerk figures are not the same. We are going to verify the vote. Could we have absolute order in the Chamber? Would you please return to your desks? This is an extremely critical matter. The chief Clerk will verify the vote. Please return to your desk and let's have absolute order in the Chamber for this purpose. Senator DeCamp, please. All right, verify the vote, very slowly so that corrections can be made as we go, if there is an error.

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